

Space Speakers Hold Competition At Holiday Party

Toastmasters' Space Center Club Number 2189 held its Christmas party Tuesday at Copper's restaurant. Feature of the evening was a contest among the club's most advanced speakers which was won by Verlin R. McCall.

The club also announced at the party that its speech craft course will start February 6 at the new headquarters, Cockatoo Inn, Imperial Highway and Hawthorne Blvd.

An invitation to enroll was extended not only to regular members of Toastmasters but to persons interested in improving their ability to speak.

Details may be obtained from Bob Webster, OR 2-0161, Ext. 248 and FR 5-8829; F. J. Rhodes, OR 2-0161, Ext. 146 and OR 8-9723; Stanley L. Steele, OS 9-4661, Ext. 2916; or Gerard Pick, OS 5-4677, Ext. 2275 and GR 9-1795.

Rowers Dive Into Water In January

This will be the 73rd and 74th year, respectively, for two of the Southland's most famous and unusual events during January, according to the calendar released by the All-Year Club today.

It will be the 73rd year for the Tournament of Roses parade of 60 beautiful flower floats on the theme "Around the World with Flowers" in Pasadena Jan. 1. The parade starts at 8:50 a.m. and floats will be on exhibition later at Victory Park.

The All-Year Club, which uses the events in attracting tourists who spend nearly \$700 million here yearly, has suggested that out-of-state visitors also enjoy another sight—the New Year's Eve decorating of the floats with tons of fresh flowers. There's a visitors' gallery in the float buildings.

It will be the 74th year for another venerable event. Every New Year's Day since 1888 the members of the San Diego Rowing Club, about 200 of them, line up beside their clubhouse and take a plunge into the waters of San Diego Bay (which varies from 52 to 60 degrees in temperature at the time). A hot drink and chili-beans follow.

On the same day out on San Diego Bay, about 100 members of the San Diego Speedboat Club celebrate New Year's with a spectacular show of water skiing.

Baldwin Park, which was named for the late "Lucky" Baldwin of Comstock Lodge fame, celebrate "Lucky Baldwin Park Days" with a beauty pageant and crowning of "Miss Baldwin Park—1962" the evening of Jan. 26 and a parade of floats, drill teams and riders at 10 a.m. Jan. 27.

The Pacific Coast championships will draw top sports car drivers of the west coast to the unique "L" shaped track at Palm Springs airport Jan. 20 and 21.

The only saddle mule race ever held will be a feature of the Death Valley Horse Show at Furnace Creek Jan. 28 and 29. The mules will race over half a mile of desert in full cowboy rigging. World-famous cutting horses will work cattle without a cue from the rider.

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VISUAL AIDS—Meeting a requirement to use visual aids to illustrate a speech on computers, Gerard Pick, member of the Toastmasters' Space Center Club Number 2189, used four secretaries employed by Space Technology Laboratories, inc., to demonstrate the computers. The "visual aids" are (left to right) Annalee Miller, Marie Medean, Ginny Nash and Diane Schlie. Pick is a member of the administrative staff of STL.

El Camino Art Student Designs Geodesic Dome

Designed and constructed by James Howell, El Camino College art student, a pentahexagon, geodesic dome with an area of about 415 square feet, is now on display on the college campus.

Prefabricated from fiberglass and steel, the dome was erected by Howell and an assistant in less than three hours. It may be viewed on campus between the art building and campus theater.

Working from Howell's basic structure, Robert Niece, art instructor, assigned 1961 industrial design students a research project of engineering 46-foot, habitable structures encompassing the geodesic design.

Ideas began when Niece attended a seminar in 1960 at Long Beach State College. Designer Buckminster Fuller conducted the seminar.

Fuller, father of the geodesic dome, inspired Niece to conduct further research into the practical application of the self-supporting structure.

Niece submitted the idea to his classes, showing slides

Firm's 'Gallon Club' Admits Two Torrance Blood Givers

Two Torrance men were recently awarded and welcomed into the "Gallon Club," composed of employees of the Southern California Gas Company's southwest division who have given one gallon or more of their blood to the Red Cross.

The two new members of the honorary organization from Torrance are P. J. Carroll and A. F. Cuddy. They were among 14 new members of the "Gallon Club."

Another record for group blood donation to the American National Red Cross has been set by employees of the southwest division, according to George M. Babbe, the utility's local division manager.

"Our people have responded to the program with wonderful enthusiasm," Babbe said. "They realize that their own blood donations help save lives now, and that one day they or a loved one might be helped by the donation of a fellow employee," he commented.

The new "Gallon Club" members honored by a luncheon at the utility's Inglewood building, heard Alvin O. Oie, member of the Board of Directors of the Westchester, Playa del Rey branch of the Red Cross, call their achievement "a marvelous tribute to your sense of community responsibility as a group, and to your individual spirit of generosity."

Oie, who is also Maintenance Supervisor for United Airlines, awarded each "Gallon Club" member a special card and lapel pin designating the accomplishment.

Others receiving the awards were N. H. McDonald, J. E. Haskins, E. L. Small, and R. B. Withrow, all of Hawthorne; J. B.

California's Inland Fishing Regulations For '62 Almost Identical With Last Year

Excepting minor adjustments in season dates and some local changes, the 1962 sport fishing regulations adopted by California's Fish and Game Commission in Sacramento Dec. 8 will be much the same as those in effect for the past year.

The general trout season north of the Tehachapi will open April 28 and close Oct. 31. In the north coast area the season will be May 28 through Oct. 31. In southern California the year-around trout season remains in effect.

The general trout limit remains at 10, excepting some individual waters with more restricted limits and the southern California all-year trout area where the limit will be 10 from March 1 through Sept. 10 but five for the rest of the year.

Trout limit changes enacted for 1962 include a three-trout limit on Eagle Lake in Lassen County and a five-trout limit on Folsom Lake in El Dorado, Placer and Sacramento Counties, on Legg Lake in Los Angeles County, and on Morena Lake in San Diego County. Mendocino Lake in Mendocino County will be open to trout fishing year-round with a 10-trout limit during the general trout season and a five-trout limit during the rest of the year.

Only fly fishing will be permitted on that section of Kings River from Garnet Dike Campground upstream to Rough Creek, with a three-trout limit.

On that portion of Putah Creek (Yolo and Solano Counties) from its mouth to Monticello Dam, the present winter trout and salmon season and bag limit will continue through Feb. 28. Starting March 1 and continuing through April 27, the portion of Putah Creek between Solano Lake Dam and Monticello Dam will be restricted to fly fishing only, with a three-fish limit and a 10-inch minimum size limit on trout. Thereafter the summer trout season and limit will be in effect on all of Putah Creek until Nov. 1 when the regular winter trout and salmon season will apply from its mouth up to Solano Lake Dam, and the newly adopted Nov. 1 through April 27 fly-fishing-only regulations will be in effect between Solano Lake Dam and Monticello Dam.

'Window on West' Show to Feature Captive Nations

Eighty million prisoners fill the Great Red Jail of Central Europe.

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Latest in Armstrong's series of "actuals" (actual events dramatized for television) "Window on the West" was written by Clair Roskam and narrated by Ron Cochran.

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on both lakes either a California or Nevada license will be valid for fishing from the shore of either state.

Effective March 1, no fish may be used for bait at Topaz Lake, and only native minnows from Lake Tahoe may be used as fish for bait at Tahoe. Chumming and underwater spearfishing will not be permitted on either lake. Liver and meat will be permitted as bait on both Tahoe and Topaz. On Tahoe, whitefish will be counted in the five-trout limit.

All major tributaries of Trinity Lake (Trinity County) and portions of the lake at their mouths will be closed to fishing from April 28 through June 30.

Del Norte, Humboldt and Mendocino Counties and the Eel River drainage in Lake County have been added to the area where no fish may be used for bait.

On Success, Terminus, Millerton and Pine Flat Reservoirs in the San Joaquin Valley area, night fishing will be permitted until 10 p.m. from April 1 through Oct. 15.

On Lake Cachuma (Santa Barbara County) the limit on crappie will be 15 and the limit on bluegill will be 25.

SALMON, STEELHEAD Effective Feb. 17, the ocean salmon limit of three fish may include one salmon under 22 inches in length. A number of special regu-

lations will be in effect to protect spawning salmon and steelhead in specified waters.

Most of the 1962 angling regulations go into effect March 1, and excepting some emergency measures, the 1961 regulations remain in effect until that time.



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Real Estate Classes Set For Torrance

University of California Extension together with the California real estate association will continue this Spring to offer their certification program in real estate in the South Bay cities of Torrance, Compton and Inglewood.

The certificate program in real estate is designed to increase the knowledge of the profession and thereby raise the standards of the real estate business, through study with specialists and professionals who conduct the classes. It is especially offered to real estate brokers, salesmen, trust officers, contractors, tax assessors, loan officers, escrow personnel, and many others in allied fields. An important advantage in the program is seen in the announcement by W. A. Savage, Real Estate Commissioner, State of California, "at the present time, the State Real Estate Commission credits the can-

didate for real estate broker license with the equivalent of one year's experience as a real estate salesman when the candidate holds a certificate in real estate awarded by the University of California Extension Division."

Starting during the week of February 5, classes include those in "Principles of Real Estate Appraisal," "Trends and Factors Influencing Real Estate," "Real Estate Practice," "Legal Aspects of Real Estate," "Real Estate Finance," "Commercial and Investment Properties," and "Income Tax Aspects of Real Estate Transactions."

Further information concerning the Certificate Program in Real Estate, programming and registration brochures may be obtained from the University of California Extension, 10851 Le Conte Avenue, Los Angeles 24 (GRanite 3-0971 or BRAdshaw 2-6161, station 721).

Garden Winners For '62 Season

Four 1962 All-America Annuals are introduced in the January issue of Sunset. They are zinnias, "Old Mexico" and "Red Man," the Dianthus "Brovo," and ornamental sweet Basil "Dark Opal." The last is the first herb plant to win such recognition. Its unusual metallic purple leaves are just as aromatic and useful as the green-leaved basil. Dianthus Brovo introduces a new color, scarlet red, to this species.

Old Mexico is a striking mahogany and gold, 3 inches wide — the largest Mexico type zinnia. Red Man is a giant cactus flowered type in vibrant scarlet.

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